NOTICE TO BIDDERS

(Chapter 103D, HRS)

SEALED BIDS for Job No. DOAM01D, Upcountry Maui Watershed Project, Distribution Pipeline, Phase V, Upper Kula, Maui, will be received at the Engineering Division office, 2nd floor, Kalanimoku Building, Room 221, 1151 Punchbowl Street, Honolulu, and at the Engineering Division office, 130 Mahalani Street, Wailuku, Maui, up to 2:00 p.m., June 8, 2006, at which time and places they will be opened and read publicly. The bidder shall be responsible for the prompt delivery of the proposal.

The Department of Land and Natural Resources Interim General Conditions dated October 1994, as amended, shall be made a part of the specifications.

Plans and specifications may be examined and obtained at the aforesaid places.

The project is located at Kula, Maui, Hawaii.

The work shall generally consist of installing one flushout assembly, approximately 865 linear feet of 20-inch ductile iron pipe of which 275 linear feet crosses an unnamed gulch, and approximately 1,025 linear feet of 12-inch ductile iron pipe of which 165 linear feet crosses the Hapapa Gulch.

The estimated cost of construction is \$1,700,000.

A voluntary pre-bid conference will be held at, at the Engineering Division office, located at 1151 Punchbowl Street, Honolulu, Hawaii, on May 15, 2006 at 9:00 am.

All interested parties are invited and highly recommended to attend a State conducted site visit. The site visit will be held at the project site on May 22, 2006 at 10:00 a.m.

Due to the nature of work contemplated, bidders must possess a valid State Contractor's license, classification A.

The job is subject to preference for Hawaii Products established by Section 103D, Hawaii Revised Statutes. The Hawaii Product List may be examined at the State Procurement Office.

The award of the contract, if it be awarded, will be subject to the availability of funds.

Should there be any questions, please call (808) 587-0230.

/s/ SANDRA LEE KUNIMOTO Chairperson Department of Agriculture

PNS: May 9, 2006